Pending:

Warner (for Byrd) Amendment No. 3767, to provide for annual reporting of the national security implications of the bilateral trade and economic relationship between the United States and the People's Republic of China.

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Byrd Amendment No. 3794 (to Amendment No. 3767), to provide for annual reporting of the national security implications of the bilateral trade and economic relationship between the United States and the People's Republic of China.

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Bennett/Reid Amendment No. 3185, to provide for an adjustment of composite theoretical performance levels of high performance computers.

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During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

Warner (for Thompson) Amendment No. 3250 (previously adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2000), was modified.

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Warner (for Bennett) Amendment No. 3751 (previously adopted by the Senate on June 30, 2000), was modified.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that any votes ordered with respect to amendments occur at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, July 12, 2000.

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, pending amendments, and amendments to be proposed thereto, at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, July 12, 2000. Further, that the bill be advanced to third reading, the Senate proceed to the House companion bill H.R. 4205, that all after the enacting clause be stricken, the text of the Senate bill be inserted, the House bill be advanced to third reading and passage occur, all without any intervening action, and the Senate bill be then placed on the Calendar.

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Interior Appropriations—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for certain amendments to be proposed to H.R. 4578, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001.

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Additional Statements: Pages \$6466-68
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**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total—173) **Page S6408** 

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:31 a.m., and adjourned at 8:38 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, July 12, 2000. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page \$6483.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

#### AMTRAK COMMUTER RAIL CONTRACT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Transportation concluded hearings to examine the Federal Transit Administration's decision to approve the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority's request for a waiver from the Federal Transit Administration's five-year limitation on contract length that would allow a three year extension of the agreement with the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak) to provide mechanical, transportation, and engineering services, after receiving testimony from Nuria I. Fernandez, Acting Administrator, Federal Transit Administration, Department of Transportation; and George D. Warrington, President and CEO, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak).

#### WATER RIGHTS ACTS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Water and Power concluded hearings on S. 2195, to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the design, planning, and construction of the Truckee watershed reclamation project for the reclamation and reuse of water, S. 2350, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey to certain water rights to Duchesne City, Utah, S. 2672, to provide for the conveyance of various reclamation projects to local water authorities, after receiving testimony from Eluid L. Martinez, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, and Sharon Blackwell, Deputy Commissioner of Indian Affairs, both of the Department of the Interior; Steve K. Walker, Washoe County Water Resources Division, Reno, Nevada; John A. Sweikar, Sugar Pine Transfer Committee Foresthill Public Utility District, Foresthill, California; and Brice Bledsoe, Contra Costa Water District, Concord, California.

#### **INTERNET MUSIC**

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the future of digital music, focusing on certain issues concerning downloading music from the internet, and copyright infringement, after receiving testimony from Lars Ulrich, and Fred Ehrlich, New Technology and Business Development, Sony Music Entertainment Inc., both of New York, New York; Hank Barry, Napster, Inc., San Mateo, California; Michael Robertson, MP3.com, Inc., San Diego, California; Gene Hoffman, Jr., EMusic.com, Inc., Redwood City, California; Gene Kan, Gnutella, Belmont, California; James Hazen Griffin, Cherry Lane Digital, Los Angeles, California; and Roger McGuinn, Windemere, Florida.

#### LIVING TRUST SCAMS

Special Committee on Aging: Committee concluded hearings to examine various scams involving fraudulent marketing and sales of living trusts targeting older Americans planning their estate, after receiving testimony from Elaine Kolish, Associate Director, Division of Enforcement, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission; Elmer C. Prenzlow, Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, Milwaukee; Paul F. Hancock, Office of the Attorney General of South Florida, Fort Lauderdale; George B. Hoffman, George B. Hoffman Estate and Retirement Planning, Newport Beach, California, on behalf of the Alliance for Mature Americans; Esther Canja, American Association of Retired Persons, Port Charlotte, Florida; and Judy Kulinski, Pewaukee, Wisconsin.

# House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 5 public bills, H.R. 4820–4824; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 370, and H. Res. 544, 547, and 548 were introduced. **Pages H5842–43** 

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows. H.R. 2961, to amend the Immigration and Na-

H.R. 2961, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to authorize a 3-year pilot program under which the Attorney General may extend the period for voluntary departure in the case of certain nonimmigrant aliens who require medical treatment in the United States and were admitted under the Visa Waiver Pilot Program (H. Rept. 106–721);

H.R. 4034, to reauthorize the United States Patent and Trademark Office (H. Rept. 106–722);

H.R. 4063, to establish the Rosie the Riveter-World War II Home Front National Historical Park in the State of California, amended (H. Rept. 106–723);

S. 1892, to authorize the acquisition of the Valles Caldera, to provide for an effective land and wildlife management program for this resource within the Department of Agriculture (H. Rept. 106–724).

H.R. 3489, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to regulate interstate commerce in the use of mobile telephones and to strengthen and clarify prohibitions on electronic eaves-dropping, amended (H. Rept. 106–725, Pt. 1);

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hibitions on electronic eaves-dropping, amended (H. Rept. 106–725, Pt. 2);

H. Res. 545, providing for consideration of H.R. 4810, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 103(a)(1) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2001 (H. Rept. 106–726); and

H. Res. 546, providing for consideration of H.R. 4811, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 (H. Rept. 106–727).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Sherwood to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Rabbi Linda Motzkin of Saratoga Springs, New York.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 9:08 a.m. and reconvened at 10:00 a.m. Page H5740

**Suspensions:** the House agreed to suspend the rules pass the following measures:

Mobile Telecommunications Sourcing Act: H.R. 4391, amended, to amend title 4 of the United States Code to establish nexus requirements for State and local taxation of mobile telecommunication services. Agreed to amend the title; Pages H5741–44

Permanent Resident Status to Syrian Nationals: H.R. 4681, amended, to provide for the adjustment of status of certain Syrian nationals; Pages H5744-48